Appln. No.: 09/993,656

Amendment dated October 12, 2004

Reply to Office Action of September 21, 2004

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The office action of September 21, 2004 has been carefully reviewed and these remarks are responsive thereto. Applicants thank the examiner for the telephone conference of October 12, 2004. Applicants hererby request reconsideration of the rejections because a cited reference in each rejection is invalid, and Applicants thus have no fair opportunity to respond. Namely, the Office Action refers to U.S. Pat. No. 5,608,551 to Marino. However, U.S. Pat. No. 5,608,551 is to Biles et al, entitled "Display panel assembly with microlens structure," and does not appear to relate to the present claims. Other portions of the Office Action refer to the reference as "Marion" instead of "Marino." However, this does not resolve the discrepancy. Applicants have attempted to ascertain the intended reference but have been unable to do so, and Applicants therefore request reconsideration and/or clarification of the rejections.

If for any reason the Examiner has any questions, the examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at (202) 824-3153.

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